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Dear Ms. Hesse:


I encourage the United States Federal Court to approve of the consent decree proposed in the case of US v. Microsoft. I do not agree with spending another tax payer dollar on this case.

As a community activist and community columnist who cares about issues, I pay close attention to the wasteful spending which goes on at every level of government. I have read on the Citizens Against Government Waste website about all the money which has been spent on the Microsoft case and am shocked. This case has accomplished very little good for our country.

This is not a time for wasteful spending. Billions are being spent on the war against terrorism. The recession and important tax cuts have greatly reduced the amount of incoming revenue going into the federal government. We should not even consider frivolous spending like US v. Microsoft when there is talk of spending social security receipts to cover the cost of running the government.

This is a strong and positive settlement. Please approve of it and put an end to the wasteful spending.

Sincerely,

  
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